

# Social Work Action Plan Template

<b>Social Work</b>  <b>Broad Strategy: Increase Number and Quality of Social Workers serving populations impacted by health care reform and building interdisciplinary connections with providers to build community care coordination teams</b>					
<b>Cross Cutting Recommendation: Expand health career access, advising and courses throughout the California State University System</b>					
<b>Objective</b>	<b>Activities</b>	<b>Anticipated Outcome</b>	<b>Timeline</b>	<b>Lead and Resources</b>	<b>Evaluation Method</b>

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1. Increase fiscal support (stipends) and numbers of ACA placements for social work students.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Secure additional funding for student support and distribute statewide via CalSWEC funding mechanisms.</li> <li>2. Create 'social work in ACA' awareness and outreach programs.</li> <li>3. Promote admissions system to enroll students in these programs especially from rural and urban areas.</li> <li>4. Expand capacity of schools to work with agencies for field education and employment opportunities.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Create additional statewide educational opportunities.</li> <li>2. Enrollment increase for schools of social work by 25% overall and by 30% in rural areas.</li> </ol>	FY 2012-ongoing	<p>CalSWEC</p> <p>CADD</p> <p>Statewide Field Consortium of Schools of Social Work</p>	CalSWEC through statewide presence will monitor and evaluate enrollment and placement growth.
<b>Cross Cutting Recommendation: Offer new and expanded educational and training programs</b>					
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2. Develop curriculum and increase course offerings to insure new students and incumbent workers are trained in ACA practice.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Through CalSWEC network and resource library, develop educ/training modules for use by schools and training academies throughout the state.</li> <li>2. CalSWEC will partner with schools and human service agencies to disseminate educ/training material.</li> <li>3. Connect online and webinar educ/training to provide for 'virtual education' access.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. All 21 schools of social work and participating health care agencies will have access to training materials.</li> <li>2. ACA material will become a part of Calif's social work curriculum and CEU program for agencies.</li> </ol>	FY 2012-2104	CalSWEC & CADD	Schools will incorporate proficiency in their ongoing accreditation evaluation programs.
<b>Cross Cutting Issue: Improve course articulation between California's Institutions of higher learning</b>					
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3. Increase number of students entering the field of social work at the higher education levels via CalSWEC's established AB 1440 Committee and 'ladder of learning' work plan.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Complete community college articulation work to support community college students entering social work educational programs.</li> <li>2. Clearly articulate pathways for interested students in social work from high school through MSW degrees.</li> <li>3. Promote inclusion of the 'ladder of learning' into existing university outreach efforts and CalSWEC recruitment efforts.</li> <li>4. Explore use of CalSWEC/ACA support money to assist high school and community college students to engage in ACA service learning programs.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Articulation agreements with community colleges completed.</li> <li>2. Ladder of learning finalized.</li> <li>3. Pilot service learning projects developed and implemented.</li> </ol>	FY 2012-2013, and ongoing	CalSWEC  Schools of Social Work through CADD	CalSWEC will track
<b>Cross Cutting Issue: Support definition of new competencies and roles with emerging service models and across overlapping professions</b>					
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4. Increase awareness of role of social work in the health profession and promote development of collaborative projects and research programs	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Develop grant and research opportunities for social work and other disciplines to collaborate in health care.</li> <li>2. Distribute research findings and best/promising practice models.</li> <li>3. Use existing innovation grant models and federal funding to promote/pilot/institute interdisciplinary practice.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Innovation and Federal Grants will be funded.</li> <li>2. Pilot opportunities will further be identified for research and evidenced based development.</li> </ol>	FY 2012-2014	CalSWEC with CADD  University contracts and grant offices	University and CalSWEC research arms
<b>Cross Cutting Issues: Priority Focus on Outreach to Underserved and disadvantaged populations</b>					
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5. Expand number of BSW and MSW in health care practice throughout California, representing rural, minority and/or disadvantaged populations.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Use CalSWEC infrastructure and university outreach to expand marketing efforts in and for underserved areas/ persons.</li><li>2. Create regional service learning opportunities to attract a wider array of potential students.</li><li>3. Expand outreach to service agency staff and build educational efforts to train and educate staff in place.</li></ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Increased rep of minority persons, and rural area graduates.</li></ol>	FY 2012-2014, and ongoing	CalSWEC with Schools and agency partners.	CalSWEC will track within existing data system.
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